

DISASTER FOOD STAMP PROGRAM**SELF-ASSESSMENT AND INFORMATION**

In order to be potentially eligible for the Disaster Food Stamp Program (DFSP) you must have experienced:

- ☐ A loss of food; **or**
☐ Damage or destruction to your home or self-employment business during the disaster period; **or**
☐ Disaster-related expenses not expected to be reimbursed during the benefit period; **or**
☐ Lost or inaccessible income, including reduction or termination of income, or a delay in receipt of income for half of the benefit period; **or**
☐ Inaccessible liquid resources (i.e. bank is closed due to the disaster).

You must also:

- ☐ Plan on purchasing food and preparing meals during the disaster; **and**
☐ Have been living in the disaster area at the time of the disaster or temporarily living outside of the disaster area but within California at the time of the disaster; **and**
☐ Not residing in a temporary shelter providing all meals during the disaster benefit period. If you plan on leaving the shelter before the end of the benefit period you may qualify.

If you meet the criteria above you must also meet the Income/Resources Limits below for the number of persons in your household. Use the Benefit Calculation below to figure out if you might be eligible.

Disaster Food Stamp Program (DFSP) Benefit Calculation		Income/Resources Limit Table		
Resource	Dollar Amount/Value		COLUMN B	COLUMN C
• Net Income that the household received/expects to receive during the benefit period,	\$ _____	Household Size	DFSP Income and Resource Limit	DFSP Allotment for a Month
		1	\$1,416	\$162
		2	1,706	298
		3	1,996	426
• PLUS Household's accessible liquid resources,	(+) \$ _____	4	2,295	542
		5	2,609	643
• MINUS Disaster-related expenses (not being reimbursed during the disaster benefit period).	(-) \$ _____	6	2,923	772
		7	3,213	853
		8	3,503	975
(A)	\$ _____	Add for Each Additional household Member	+290	+122

If you think you might be eligible or would like a worker to make that determination, please complete an application for the Disaster Food Stamp Program at the Local Assistance Center or Family Resource Center. For information or directions please call 1-866-262-9881.